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**JUL 26 2005**

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS

For The Northern Mariana Islands  
By \_\_\_\_\_  
(Deputy Clerk)

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

vs.

ERIC JOHN TUDELA MAFNAS,  
CHARLEY K. PATRIS, and  
CARL CABRERA,

Defendants.

No. CR 04-00038

**AFFIDAVIT OF SELF-AUTHENTICATION  
PURSUANT TO FEDERAL RULES OF EVIDENCE 803(6) AND 902(11)**

I, Monica P. Ada, declare and certify under penalty of perjury, that the following is true and correct:

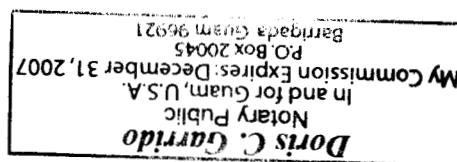
- 1) I am employed as a Criminalist III with the Guam Police Department Forensic Science Division Laboratory in Tiyan Guam, and have been so employed for 12 years, 7 months. The regular duties of the Forensic Science Division Laboratory involve, among other work, the analysis of various substances forwarded to the laboratory by law enforcement agencies. As a Criminalist with the Guam Police Department Laboratory, my regular duties include analysis of these substances, as well as the documentation of my findings in written lab reports. The laboratory makes and maintains these lab reports in the regular course of its activities as a matter of regular practice.

- 2) During the course of my duties as a Criminalist, I analyzed substances forwarded to the Guam Laboratory by CNMI D.P.S. officers in connection with CNMI Case number 02-004533. The substances submitted for analysis were assigned Crime Laboratory Number **13348**, and involved evidence seized on May 3, 2002.
- 3) After completing my analysis, I prepared a report of my findings. A true and accurate copy of the report and the related laboratory receipt are attached as Government Exhibits A and B.
- 4) The report is a domestic record made by me at or near the time of my analysis of the substances involved.
- 5) As a result of my analysis of the substances, I have personal knowledge of the matters contained in the attached report.
- 6) The report was made and kept in the course of the regularly conducted business activities of the Guam Forensic Science Division Laboratory and it is the regular business activity of the laboratory to document analyses conducted by Criminalists.
- 7) At the time I prepared the attached report, the making and maintaining of such records was the regular business practice of the Guam Forensic Science Division Laboratory.

Executed on this 15<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2005.



Monica P. Ada, Criminalist  
Guam Police Department  
Forensic Science Division Laboratory



*Doris C. Garrido*  
NOTARY PUBLIC

date first above-written.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal on the

me that she signed it voluntarily for its stated purpose.

be the person whose name is signed on the preceding or attached document, and acknowledged to

Territory of Guam, personally appeared **MONICA P. ADA**, who is personally known to me to

On this 15<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2005, before me, a Notary Public in and for the United States

UNITED STATES TERRITORY OF GUAM )  
SS )

GUAM POLICE DEPARTMENT  
LABORATORY REPORT

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## CLASSIFICATION

Illegal Possession of Controlled Substance

SEAL  
TYPE☒ Intact ☐ Broken ☐ None  
TapeEVENT NUMBER CNMI  
02-004533LAB NUMBER  
13348LATENT PRINT NUMBER  
N/ADATE / TIME 08/16/02  
RECEIVED 0918 hoursSUSPECT NAME(S)  
M.C. & I.N.VICTIM NAME(S)  
N/ASUBMITTING OFFICER / AGENT & I.D. NUMBER  
J. TaimanaoSUBMITTING AGENCY ☐ GPD ☒ Other  
CNMI Dept. of Public SafetyCONFISCATING OFFICER / AGENT & I.D. NUMBER  
Eric MafnasCONFISCATING AGENCY ☐ GPD ☒ Other  
CNMI Dept. of Public Safety☒ DRUG☐ TOXICOLOGY☐ OTHER (specify):☐ BLOOD☐ SEMEN☐ FIREARMS☐ TOOL MARK☐ LATENT PRINTS☐ FIRE

## ITEM NO.

## DESCRIPTION

- One (1) tape-sealed brown envelope with case information written on it, containing one (1) black, soft case containing: One (1) folded piece of cardboard; and Four (4) reclosable plastic bags containing a total of twenty-one (21) reclosable plastic bags (10, 5, 3 and 3 respectively) each containing white crystalline substance.

## TEST RESULTS / COMMENTS:

- Substance identified to contain methamphetamine.

Total Weight Received: 46.40 grams, net

Sample Weight Removed: 5.490 grams, net

Sample Weight Retained: 5.464 grams, net

Sample Weight Consumed: 0.026 gram

EXAMINED BY

M.P. ADA, Criminalist I

DATE

05/01/03

APPROVED BY

EXHIBIT

B

COMMONWEALTH OF THE NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS  
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY

13348

DPS - CST 95-005

## EVIDENCE/PROPERTY CUSTODY RECEIPT

CONTROL NO.

LAB. NO.

TYPE OF CRIME: <u>Illegal Possession of Controlled Substance</u>		CASE NO. <u>02-004533</u>	CONTROL NO. <u>020203 (A)</u>
Procured from (Name and Exact Location): <u>Purple Paper inside vehicle bearing HP # ABH-440 in Central Bureau Paradise Police Parking lot.</u>			
Time:	Date: <u>5-3-02</u>	Place: <u>Paradise Police Station</u>	Circumstance: <u>Evidence</u>
How marked for identification: <u>Each brown envelope has description of items inside the envelope.</u>			
Obtained by: <u>Det. Eric Melms</u>		Witness: <u>Det. Charlie Patris</u>	

Item No.	Qty.	Description of Property	Disposal Action
1	1	1 black Soft Case containing 4 ziplock bags which contain a total of 21 ziplock bags with crystal methamphetamines. In brown envelope.	Secure for Evidence
2	1	1 brown envelope containing U.S. 100 dollar currency with amount written on it. (\$10425.00)	
3	2	Tanita Scales model 1476N and 1475. One is color Gray, and one is color white.	
4	1	Cell Phone buttons to marable. Silver color	
5	1	Black leather bag containing ziplock bags.	
6	1	Brown wallet containing 100 dollar bills with numbers, and a paper made Seal (Green)	

## Chain of Custody

Item Number	Date/Time	Relinquished by	Received by	Purpose of Change of Custody
1 thru 6	5/6/02 1500 hrs	Name Eric J.T. Melms Signature <u>[Signature]</u>	Name J. TAMMAYO Signature <u>[Signature]</u>	SECURED
#1 only	8/16/02 9:15 am	Name J. TAMMAYO Signature <u>[Signature]</u>	Name M.P. Ada, CI Signature <u>[Signature]</u>	
#1 only	5/9/03 0920 hrs	Name M.P. Ada, CI Signature <u>[Signature]</u>	Name J. TAMMAYO Signature <u>[Signature]</u>	Analysis Return to submitting agency
		Name Signature	Name Signature	
		Name Signature	Name Signature	
		Name Signature	Name Signature	
		Name Signature	Name Signature	

REMARKS:

DISPOSAL ACTION: Indicate in disposal action column, by letter code, type of action. CODES: (A) Returned to submitting agency (C) Superior Court (D) Destroyed (F) District Court (I) Returned to individual or owner (M) Other method-explain in remarks. If disposal action is (I), Complete the following: Released of article(s) indicated as item(s) number.

Authorized by: \_\_\_\_\_